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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Development Division, OSA

SUBJECT : Starters and Start Carts for A-12 Aircraft

1. We are developing the A-12 ground support equipment requirements for pre-positioning at Eielson, [ ] and Kadana. Specific guidance is required as to the type starters and start carts which should be programmed. 25X1

2. It is our understanding that the ultimate solution to this problem will be the Air Research ATSP-400 cartridge starter. However, if development and acceptance of this item cannot be completed in time to permit procurement and delivery by 1 September 1963, we shall have to procure TMC 105 carts and ATS-200 starters as a substitute. This will involve an expenditure of about [ ] and a lead time of six to ten months. 25X1

3. Request you advise us as soon as possible which starter package should be procured. If the ATSP-400 is decided upon, we will need LAC's recommendation on the quantity required to support two aircraft at each overseas location.

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Chief, Materiel Division  
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